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Two Signals

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Listing of Claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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Amendment to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 2, with the following rewritten paragraph:

This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 10/293,238, filed November 12, 2002, now U.S. Patent No. 6,750,661 B2 issued on June 15, 2004, which claims priority from provisional patent application No. 60/332990 filed November 13, 2001, each of which is incorporated herein by reference.